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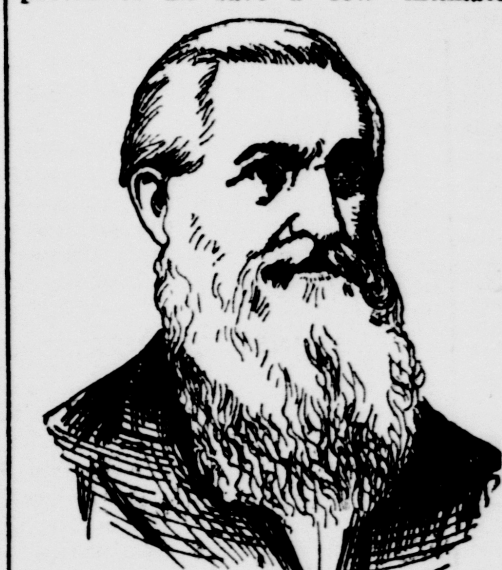
Arrangements for Historian Bancroft's Funeral.

HIS NOTABLE CAREER.

He Held Many High Positions and Rendered Valuable Services to His Country—One of the World's Most Distinguished Men of Letters.

AN OUTLINE OF HIS LIFE'S WORK.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The community was greatly shocked Saturday evening by the news that George Bancroft, the venerable historian, was dead. It had been realized that Mr. Bancroft could hardly survive much longer because of the increasing infirmities incident to his extremely old age, but he had been in cheerful spirits and apparently better health this year since his return from Newport than for several seasons past, so that his death was sudden and unexpected to all save a few intimates.



Geo. Bancroft

Friends who knew of the attack of illness which carried him off. Death occurred at 3:40 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The end was quiet and peaceful and came after a period of unconsciousness lasting about twenty-four hours. It has been decided to hold funeral services at 11 o'clock next Tuesday morning in St. John's Episcopal Church. The interment will take place at Worcester, Mass., where Mr. Bancroft's wife is buried.

Yours very truly,

Geo. L. & Sarah H. Carrington.

## Not a Remarkable Day

with us, in fact not worth mentioning except to illustrate the fact that Janesville city property is always in demand when offered by its owners at correct prices. Yesterday, Jan. 14, we closed up and delivered the goods,—Janesville city property amounting to \$7,450. The pieces were not large this amount covered nine sales. These transactions were all at hard pan value, no water, no wind.

Yours very truly,

Geo. L. & Sarah H. Carrington.

## Glen-Etta to The Front.

A few wise men have within the past few days acquired over one-third of this whole addition for purposes of home building. They have the choicest locations in this city, that is some of the choicest; we have in Glen-Etta and Riverview about twenty of the finest sites in Janesville yet for sale.

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## Our New Offices

deserve a word, they are central, they are desirable, they are hard to beat for our business.

The year just begun promises to be big with results, not only for us, but for Janesville and we were compelled to have more commodious quarters.

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Yours very truly,

Geo. L. & Sarah H. Carrington.

## WEARY SENATORS.

After a Continuous Session of Thirty Hours' Duration the Senate Adjourns Without Taking Any Action on the Elections Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—At 6 o'clock Saturday evening what few Senators were awake adjourned, and the long session which had lasted thirty hours was over. The Republicans at 4 o'clock held a conference and agreed to adjourn at 6 to meet again to-day and continue the debate on the elections bill at that time. To-night a Republican caucus will be held, at which a mode of procedure will be outlined. The all-night session was dullness itself. From 2 a. m. Saturday until 5:30 there was no quorum, the sergeant-at-arms vainly trying to induce the sleepers in the cloak and committee rooms to make their presence felt. Senator Gorman at 6 o'clock tried to get an adjournment for breakfast, but failed, the vote on his motion standing—Yeas, 5; nays, 23. At 7:30, when but one Republican and five Democrats were on the floor, another attempt was made to adjourn, but enough Republicans were awakened to prevent it. Senator Faulkner finished his speech at 10:30 having held the floor for twelve hours and spoken for six. Senator Daniel followed him and attacked the bill fiercely. He yielded to Senator Stewart, who gave notice of a motion to recommit the bill, with instructions to the committee on elections and elections to so amend it as to provide for the election of members of Congress on days when no other election is held in the several States and to provide for separate and independent registration of such electors as are qualified to vote as members of Congress. Senator Daniel continued his speech until 1:30 p. m., having occupied the floor for three hours.

Senator Vest then took the floor and demanded a yeas and nays vote on Senator Faulkner's amendment which eliminated from the bill such features as were judicial functions upon canvassing boards. This went over for the present, and Senator Vest then proceeded in a general denunciation of the measure. The question recurring on Senator Vest's amendment, it was laid on the table.

On motion of Senator Faulkner an amendment was adopted striking out the clause giving the chief supervisor of elections power to transfer any supervisor for service in one part of a Congressional district to another part of the same district.

An amendment was also agreed to providing that any person falsely claiming to be a citizen of the United States or to be a resident or qualified voter in any application shall be punished by confinement of not more than two years or by fine of not more than \$1,000 or both fine and imprisonment.

Other amendments offered were agreed to without opposition, including one increasing from three to four the number of supervisors of elections in a district. The bill was then laid aside informally and the Vice-President announced the appointment of Senator McConnell (Idaho) on the committee on civil service and revolutionary claims, vice Senators Aldrich and Power. Then, on motion of Senator Hoar, the Senate at 6 o'clock adjourned until 11 a. m. to-day.

## WILL FIGHT NO MORE.

The Indians Promise to Behave Themselves in the Future—Tropes Leaving Pine Ridge Agency.

PINE RIDGE, S. D., Jan. 19.—General Miles held a conference on Saturday with the principal Brule chiefs, who, when the subject of returning to their agency at Rosebud was broached, they said they were in favor of returning if a military man should be placed over them as agent. After some parleying regarding the question Big Rock stood up and dramatically proclaimed himself in favor of peace. At the same time he asked those who wished to join him in restoring peace and working for the prosperity of their people to raise their right hand toward Heaven. Immediately every right hand in the gathering was raised and with a general shaking of hands the conference came to a close.

The situation is just as it has been for three days past. General Miles insists on having the guns, and the Indians, while fearing the force of soldiers, are surrounded by them, are reluctant about giving up. Little Wound says that there will be no more fighting and that the bucks realize this, and, while not liking the thought of the surrender of their guns, they will not use them against the whites any more.

## A WIDOW'S AWFUL DEED.

Fearing Death from Hunger, She Strangles Her Two Children and Drowns Herself.

DENISON, Tex., Jan. 19.—A courier from Lehigh, I. T., brings news of a triple killing. Mrs. Mattie Hether, a widow, and poverty-stricken, choked her two little boys, 4 and 6 years old, to death, and with them in her arms jumped into the great spring from which the town is supplied with water. The bodies were found Friday morning.

## Blew His Brains Out.

New York, Jan. 19.—Colonel Alphonse Thourout, who, during the war, commanded the Fifty-fifth regiment of infantry, New York Volunteers, blew his brains out at his home in Hoboken, N. J. He has been despondent since his wife died six years ago and has frequently threatened to kill himself. He was 72 years old.

## Stole Valuable Diamonds.

New York, Jan. 19.—Patrick Forrester, until last October a trusted clerk of Simpson, the pawnbroker, is under arrest for the theft of \$8,000 worth of diamonds from his employer.

## Three Children Drowned.

Oskosh, Wis., Jan. 19.—While a party of nine young people were coasting at Appleton Saturday the sled ran into the river and Jay Briggs, Emma Asid and May Cary were drowned.

## Firemen Injured.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Fire truck No. 17, of the Chicago fire department, was run down and wrecked by a Lake Shore railway train. Three firemen were badly injured.

## Some men are so attached to a farm that rather than give it up they will spike it down with a mortgage.

It is one of the curiosities of natural history that a horse enjoys his food most when he hasn't a bit in his mouth.

## MANY WERE MANGLED.

Terrible Gas Explosion at Findlay, Ohio.

HOTEL GUESTS KILLED.

Two Girls Killed and a Number of Other Persons Badly Hurt—Carelessness and a Leak Responsible for the Affair.

LIST OF THE VICTIMS.

FINDLAY, O., Jan. 19.—The first great disaster Findlay has ever experienced from the use of natural gas occurred shortly before 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon while the guests of the Hotel Marvin were waiting to be summoned to dinner. Sunday morning it was discovered that gas was escaping from a leaking pipe somewhere in the building, and Mr. Marvin, the owner of the hotel, with three plumbers, spent the entire forenoon trying to locate the leak. About 10 o'clock they entered a chamber underneath the dining-room and found such an accumulation of gas that they could not breathe, and it was suggested that a hole be bored through the floor of the dining-room in order to obtain fresh air. This was done, and just as the hole was made one of the dining-room girls, who was sweeping the floor, stepped upon a match, and in an instant an explosion occurred which killed two girls and maimed and injured a dozen other employees. The force of the explosion was so great that it blew out the flame of the ignited gas and no fire followed the awful ruin which the shock had caused. The whole city rocked as if in an earthquake and all the windows on the square were demolished, while the wreck of the hotel building was all but complete, the only rooms in the house escaping destruction being the parlors and the office. Had the explosion occurred ten minutes later the loss of life would have been frightful, as nearly a hundred people were waiting in the rooms to be called to dinner.

When the work of removing the dead and rescuing the dying was begun it was found that Katie Walters, a waitress, had been killed outright. Ella Johnson, a dining-room girl, was found alive under a mass of brick and mortar, but she died shortly after being carried to a place of safety. Kate Rooney, another dining-room girl, was also fatally injured but is still alive. Frank Poundstone, day clerk at the hotel, was painfully bruised and cut about the neck and face, but will recover. Anson Marvin, owner of the building, who with the plumbers was under the dining-room floor when the explosion occurred, was probably fatally hurt, as he inhaled the flames of the burning gas. Albert French, a porter at the hotel, was cut on the neck and head, but will recover. Frank Andrews, one of the proprietors, had his right eye knocked out and was seriously bruised about the face and throat. Charles Graves, Philip Weil and Jack Cahill, the plumbers, were painfully shocked and stunned, but will soon be themselves again.

The financial loss will be about \$25,000 on the building and \$10,000 on the furniture, all fully insured. It is a question whether any insurance will be realized, as none of the destruction was caused by fire. The excitement throughout the city over the catastrophe is great.

## EX-GOVERNOR THAYER KILLED.

The Brakes Too Much for Him.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 19.—The long vigil of ex-Governor Thayer during the exciting scenes of the opening of the Legislature, when he remained in his apartments eighty hours for the purpose of keeping out Governor Boyd, has resulted in a dangerous nervous attack. He is ravaging and physicians say his condition is alarming. His report has gone out that he is violently insane, but the attending physicians and personal friends deny it emphatically and declare that the ex-Governor will be able to attend to his usual duties within a week.

## FORTY KILLED.

The Earthquake in Algeria Destroyed Two Towns and Caused an Awful Loss of Life.

ALGERIA, Jan. 19.—Further details of the destruction wrought by the severe earthquake in Algeria reported on the 15th inst. have been received here. The towns of Gouraya and Villeneuve were partially destroyed by the shocks and forty persons were killed by the falling of walls. The amount of damage done to property is estimated at \$20,000.

## End of a Revolution.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The latest advices from Buenos Ayres are of a more peaceful character than those received Friday. The rebels who had assembled in the province of Entre Rios, it appears, have been disarmed by the force of National troops sent against them. A new Governor has been appointed to control the affairs of Entre Rios, and he is already acting energetically and efficiently, and the alarm caused by the revolutionary outbreak is rapidly subsiding.

## Judge Reynolds' Murderer Sane.

New York, Jan. 19.—Alphonse J. Stepham, who shot and killed ex-Judge Clinton C. Reynolds last May, has been pronounced sane by a majority of the commission of three appointed some time ago to inquire into his mental condition. He now has to stand his trial on a charge of murder.

## The manual of arms debars one from social intercourse at a very early age, "At-ten-hun company!"

In a game of ball among mutes the profanity of fingers is perfectly awful to observe.

The blind man's dog may not be much of a performer, but it is always given a leading part.











## WAS A RUNAWAY MATCH

Rev. Dr. Benson's Son Married  
in Janesville.

## CHICAGO SOCIETY AGOG.

Young Benson Started for a Progressive  
Each Party With the Daughter of  
a Railway Magnate, but Arrived  
at the Home of Rev. Hodge.

All Chicago is talking about the young  
elopers who fled to Janesville Friday  
night.

One of them, Wilmer Y. Benson, is  
the son of Chicago's ablest Baptist Di-  
vine, Dr. S. P. Benson. His fair com-  
panion was Miss Nellie Broughton, who  
some day will be a millionaire, or there-  
abouts, in her own right. Miss Broughton  
is a daughter of E. P. Broughton, gen-  
eral manager of the Chicago & East-  
ern Illinois railroad.

The young people reached Janesville  
Friday afternoon, coming by way of  
Elgin and Rockford. They inquired  
the way to the house of a Baptist min-  
ister and were directed to Dr. M. G.  
Hodge's residence on South Second  
street. There at 8 o'clock, the words  
were said that made them husband and  
wife.

The first intimation that their families  
report having received came in a  
dispatch. On their way to Janesville  
young Benson stepped from the train at  
West Elgin and left a message saying  
they were enroute to a point not to be  
made known, and that on reaching their  
destination they would be married.

The announcement came as a lightning  
flash to the hosts of Chicago friends  
as not even an intimation of the  
intentions of the young people had been  
guessed at.

The Broughtons have long worshipped  
at the altar presided over by Dr. Benson  
and the members of the respective fam-  
ilies have been frequent visitors at each  
other's residences. These visits extended  
to the younger members of the families.  
In the case of Wilmer Y. Benson, young  
son of the frequent preacher, the vis-  
its were more frequent than any other of  
the Benson household, and his visits  
were appreciated by the Broughton fam-  
ily, including the eloping damsel, who is  
well known to society and religious peo-  
ple alike as a modest young lady of great  
beauty and accomplishments.

The reason for their elopement is a  
mystery only time will solve. Dr.  
Benson himself says the young people  
were engaged and that there was no ob-  
jection on the part of either family ex-  
cept as to the time when the  
marriage should be cele-  
brated. He says further that the only  
possible objection that has ever been  
raised to the marriage was on account of  
the youthfulness of Wilmer Benson, al-  
though he is now twenty-one years of  
age and engaged in business for himself.

Wilmer Y. Benson is one of the firm  
of Benson Brothers, printers, doing busi-  
ness at 327 Dearborn street, Chicago.  
He has only recently established himself  
in business with his brother, Charles W.  
Benson. The firm has every prospect  
of a good future, and it was this fact  
that caused the respective heads of the  
families of the eloping couple to desire  
a short delay in the nuptials until the fi-  
nances of the couple would be assured  
for the future.

Here the matter has rested, the older  
people feeling assured that the day was  
not far off when the happy day would be  
fixed.

The Broughton family live at 3402 In-  
diana, and have enjoyed a social position  
of prominence. Friday evening Wilmer  
Benson and Miss Nellie Broughton  
started for a "enure party," but the  
old folks seem to have been the only  
ones who were "enured." The couple  
did not return, and it then dawned upon  
the old folks that they must have "gone  
off and got married," which supposition  
was a short time later confirmed by the  
news from the happy pair that "all was  
well."

Dr. Benson was seen by a Chicago re-  
porter, and asked regarding the elopement.

"Yes, the story you have is right in the  
main," said he. "My son and Miss  
Broughton have left the city and are, I  
suppose, married by this time. They  
have been engaged for some time, and  
there was no wish on the part of either  
family to prevent the marriage. It was,  
however, thought best to postpone the  
event for a time."

"It is safe to assume, then, that when  
they return 'all will be forgiven'?"

"It is most certainly safe to assume it.  
They merely took time by the forelock,  
as it were, and decided not to wait. I  
wish you would say the utmost harmony  
exists between the two families and the  
action of the young people will in no  
way interfere with it. Mr. Broughton  
and his family have been members of the  
congregation for a long time, and  
number them among my most valuable  
and honored friends."

A friend of the Henderson family said  
that the reason the young folks ran away  
to get "joined" was that they could not  
wait until a season of mourning was  
passed. It appears that Nellie's brother  
died a few months ago. Mrs. Broughton  
refused to give her consent to the  
proposed marriage on the ground that it  
would not be proper for a member of the  
family to take an important part in so  
gay a ceremony as a wedding until at  
least a year after the young man's death.  
She also said that Nellie was too young  
to marry, but this branch of the argu-  
ment was of secondary importance and  
was not advanced with nearly the em-  
phasis put on the other.

It was the custom of the couple to  
hold happy meetings nearly every even-  
ing, and the more they discussed the  
mother's reasons the less weighty they  
seemed to them.

Finally the momentous decision was  
arrived at and the hasty departure plan-  
ned.

"I was just leaving for church when  
the parties called," said Dr. Hodge this  
morning. "Miss L. Jones, of this city,  
accompanied the young couple. They  
told me what they wanted. I asked the  
couple several questions under oath, and  
was assured they were of age, and every-  
thing all right so I married them. I  
never mistrusted anything until Satur-

day morning when writing out the no-  
tice, when I discovered and recog-  
nized the name 'S. Pointed' as  
Henson, as being that of the Baptist di-  
vine of Chicago. I remember seeing the  
young man in the city and he answered me  
at once to Chicago, and he answered me  
at present. The couple acted and appeared  
all right at my house. I do not know  
where they are now or where they went  
from my home after the ceremony. Be-  
lieving in somewhat of hurry to go to  
church, I did not take the trouble to  
converse with them as perhaps I would  
had I the time, or as I should had I  
thought all was not right. I should  
never mistrust from their actions that  
they were runaways."

## BRIEF LOCAL MENTION.

Tomatoes down on a slippery slide  
kind of blissful  
But it isn't so funny when you strike a stone  
and land on your head.

Charles P. McLean visited Chicago  
to-day.

Dr. J. B. Whiting visited Milwaukee,  
to-day.

United States Marshal Oakley, was in  
Janesville to-day.

Frank G. Stevens, of Duluth, is visit-  
ing Janesville friends.

Fresh bulk and can oysters on hand at  
the Fountain Exchange.

The Fortnightly Club meets next Sat-  
urday evening, January 24.

Miss Annie Behrendt has returned from  
a visit with Chicago friends.

John Koerner, of Helenville, Wis., is  
visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Smith.

Supper for the masqueraders this eve-  
ning will be served by A. Golling.

Mrs. L. L. S. Bailey, of Racine, is visit-  
ing her daughter, Mrs. E. D. Roberts.

Clarence L. Clark has been named as  
military secretary on Governor Peck's  
staff.

Court Reporter F. C. Grant and At-  
torney B. F. Danwidie are in Madison  
on law business.

D. A. Ryan has purchased the brick  
block occupied by his livery stable, the  
consideration being \$9,000.

Those attending the Light Infantry  
masquerade to-night can secure refresh-  
ments at the Fountain Exchange.

The pay car for the Madison division  
of the Chicago & Northwestern road,  
passed through the city this morning.

G. A. Bowerman visited Stoughton,  
Madison and adjoining towns to-day, ex-  
plaining the merits of the cigar that he  
sells.

The publication of "An Army Portia"  
has been interrupted to-day by pressure  
of other matter. It will be resumed to-  
morrow.

C. L. Usher, now proprietor of the  
Bower House, Whitewater, but formerly  
proprietor of Usher's Cafe, was in town  
to-day.

Freight Agent C. E. Ransom, and  
Trainmaster F. B. Moulton, of the Chi-  
cago & Northwestern road, visited Chi-  
cago to-day.

The flag on the Lincoln school build-  
ing is floating at half mast today, on ac-  
count of the death of little Fred Mame,  
who was a pupil in that school.

Charles G. Kilpatrick and Harry T.  
Smith, who are organizing the Wisconsin  
state league, are two of the best minor  
league managers and organizers in the  
country.

Quite a number of signatures are be-  
ing obtained for the organization of a  
humane society in this city, mention of  
which was made in the Gazette a few  
days ago.

Many of the tile cutters and drains  
will now demand the attention of the  
street commissioner to keep them open  
and free from ice.

A. C. Jackson's plan for advertising  
the city will be brought before the spe-  
cial meeting of the Business Men's As-  
sociation to-night. There should be a  
full attendance.

Mrs. F. O. Robertson, who has been  
traveling with her husband in the  
northern part of the state, is spending a  
few days in Janesville securing a fresh  
supply of medicine.

For the first time in some years at a  
regular service the auditorium of Court  
Street church was filled to overflowing,  
last evening, and it was necessary to  
throw open the galleries.

George Charlton and M. Dawson  
shipped seven car loads of cattle yester-  
day, five going to Chicago and two to  
points north. It is said they were the  
first lot of cattle ever shipped from this  
city.

Captain G. D. Wallace, who was one  
of the first victims of the recent Indian  
outbreak was a nephew of Mrs. Garrett  
Veeder, associate editor of the Janesville  
Signal. He was an intrepid soldier,  
and a most promising officer.

A supper that is a supper, will be served  
in the lecture room of Court Street  
M. E. church, on Wednesday of this  
week, January 21, from 5 to 7:30 o'clock  
by the ladies. These suppers will need  
no extra announcement to those who  
have patronized them.

Stockholders in the Building & Loan  
Association paid their ten dollars and  
five dollars and their ten dollars to  
Secretary Burnham to-day. If they  
did not they still have a chance, for the  
secretary will be at the bank from 7 to  
9 this evening.

Many Janesville veterans were shocked  
to hear of the death from pneumonia of  
Colonel Charles Noyes at his home in  
San Antonio, Texas. He was about fifty-  
five years of age, and an early settler in  
western Wisconsin. In the early part  
of the rebellion he enlisted from White-  
water, in the "Thirtieth Wisconsin," and  
served through the war, rising to the rank  
of lieutenant colonel. For many years  
past he has lived in Texas, and has been  
doing a thriving business in the saddle  
and harness trade.

Dr. B. Miner.

The eye specialist, will be at the My-  
ers House one day only, Thursday,  
March 26. Defective vision from con-  
genital or acquired cause, successfully  
remedied when in the skill of the optician  
to remedy. Dr. Miner has devoted his  
life to this work, and invites those  
who have had trouble in  
having the eyes fitted, or all in need  
of glasses, to investigate his method of  
adapting glasses to the human eye. Call  
and see him. Consultation and exami-  
nation free.

Respectfully,  
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## SHOT AT PREPPER JACK.

Sunday Sensation in the Second  
Ward.

## THE WINDOW SPY CAUGHT

Will Baker Sees Him With Eyes Pressed  
Against a Half Opened Shutter, and  
Tries the Moral Influence of Two  
Doses of Gun Powder.

The quiet people of Cornelia street  
were suddenly aroused last night by the  
report of two pistol shots following each  
other in quick succession.  
People hurried to the sidewalk to ascer-  
tain the cause, and the form of a man  
was seen to hurriedly pass around the  
corner at Fourth avenue and pass on  
down that street.

He did not get far. The fugitive came  
to a sudden halt, for Fred Clemons had  
glanced him by the shoulder and was  
bringing him back to the scene of the  
conflict.

There it was learned that soon after  
nine o'clock Mrs. Baker had heard a  
noise at one of her windows, and sup-  
posing it was some boys at play she  
stepped out and hurried to the corner of  
the building, and sang out as she  
stepped around:

"Hello, there, I have caught you this  
time."

She was somewhat surprised to see a  
good sized man at the window instead of  
a boy at play. Seeing that he was dis-  
covering the man hurried down through  
the yard and hurried over the back  
fence. He soon appeared again, and this  
time was met by two pistol shots.

"He was looking in at our windows  
and I fired two shots at him," explained  
Will Baker. "He turned on me and said  
if I didn't quit shooting at him he would  
have me arrested, and then he walked  
away. I only had blank cartridges to  
fire or he might not have been so cool."

The man was evidently not so cool as  
he at first appeared, for he bolted  
through John Tipney's back yard, fright-  
ening the women in the house and was  
in considerable of a hurry when Fred  
Clemons caught him. He gave him the  
name as William Cheyne, claiming that he  
resided on Milton avenue and that he was  
on his way home from church. The  
ladies, however, were quite positive that  
he was the man.

Cheyne claimed that he was a married  
man; was not guilty of the act charged.  
He said he was employed at one of the  
horse barns on Bluff street, but this  
statement proved to be false. He was  
somewhat under the influence of liquor  
when overhauled last evening.

Cheyne was recognized as the same  
man who has been annoying the people  
of the Second and Third wards for some  
time. Not many nights ago a young lady  
residing on Glen street had prepared her-  
self for bed, and while conversing with  
her mother, looked towards a window,  
the curtain being up a few inches, and  
was surprised at seeing a pair of eyes  
just below the curtain. She hurried  
to the window to draw the curtain, but  
she was completely down, but was so excited  
on "taking hold of the bottom, that it slipped  
from her fingers, and the curtain shot up  
wards, the bright moonlight revealing a  
man rapidly retreating from the yard.

The people in that neighborhood are  
now prepared to give this nocturnal vi-  
sitor a warm reception, and he may rest  
assured that no more blank cartridges  
will be fired at him.

## MANY SEEK WORK AS SORTERS.

Local Warehouses Well Equipped With  
With Help—Deals in Leaf Cigars.

The large quantities of tobacco de-  
livered at the several warehouses in this  
city the past week has made it necessary  
for warehousemen to commence sorting  
with full force of hands. This morning  
thousands of appetizing pipes painted  
thereon would tempt a hermit. Every  
"O" was a big "O," and the "O" of  
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## THE GRIP AGAIN.

Cripplingly exerting.  
Torturously exerting  
Across the seas  
With cold and sneeze,  
It comes to countries new.  
Aristocratic noses  
In ruddiest hue of roses  
Must now begin  
To swell the dim  
With hoisterous kerchief?

Oh, what an exclamation,  
With nasal exclamation,  
On every hand  
Throughout the land,  
Proclaims this rascal lord!  
No king-like could in exander;  
Nor Morgan  
On the organ  
Play a tune so much adored.

If strong desire for sneezing,  
Your proboscis should be teasing  
And exclamation,  
Of a position.  
Of your diaphragm, ensue;  
With a grace, note and cadence,  
You may know that influenza,  
Without a doubt,  
Has found you out,  
And got the grippe on you!

—London Table.

## CAN'T GET SKATES ENOUGH.

Youthful Canvassers for The Gazette Must  
Be Patient.

For two days it has been impossible  
for The Gazette to secure skates in suf-  
ficient numbers to accommodate its  
youthful canvassers. In every city in the  
state the demand for skates has been  
heavy, and jobbing houses in Chicago  
have been unable to fill orders. So it is  
that on the smaller sizes The Gazette's  
stock has run short. We hope in the  
course of the next two days, however,  
that a shipment will be on the way di-  
rect from the factory. Until then the  
wide-awake young canvassers who have  
brought in their lists of names since  
Friday night must possess their souls in  
patience. If it should prove impossible  
to replenish the "Ozzy" skates, another  
make equally desirable will be provided.

## TWO SUNDAYS A WEEK.

The Gazette Correspondent Sketches Be-  
loft College Happenings.

BELOIT, Jan. 19.—(Special correspond-  
ent)—All college (exercises) were sus-  
pended Friday because of the Mills re-  
vival meetings that day being observed  
as a special Sabbath.

The home oratorical contest, to select  
a speaker for the state contest, will take  
place the last of the present month.

C. S. Brett, '92 is conducting the re-  
hearsals of the Banjo club, A. E. Morey,  
'91 is leader of the Glee Club, and J. W.  
Wright, '93 is instructing the orchestra.

A tin fish horn four feet long is need  
for revivify in the Sigma Chi house.

Since three of the fraternities have se-  
cured handsome houses a marked gain in  
membership is reported.

## C. &amp; N. W. SHOPS AT SPRING BROOK.

The Humor Again Set Afloat but with  
Little Foundation.

Rumors are again floating around, to  
the effect that officials of the Chicago &  
Northwestern Railway Company have  
taken an option on one hundred acres of  
land near Spring Brook addition, and  
that it is for the purpose of securing a  
site for the company's shops which are  
to be removed from Chicago in the  
spring.

Parties interested in Spring Brook real  
estate will say nothing to confirm such  
rumors, yet they admit that a deal is  
working that will astonish the people of  
Janesville if it is fully carried out.

## THEY ATE AND SAID, "O!"

Patrons of the Trinity Church Supper Voice  
Their Joy.

A "Big O" supper was the attraction  
that drew a large crowd to Post hall  
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by the ladies of Trinity church. The  
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## FACE MANGLED BY A DOG

Twelve Year Old Boy's Shocking  
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## ONE DAY IN THE STATE.

Whitewater People Awake to Find Yards  
Hidden By Floods of Artesian Water  
—Edgerton Overrun by To-  
bacco Strippers.

Archie Marvin, a twelve-year-old boy,  
whose parents live three miles north of  
Evanville, was shockingly torn about the  
face by a vicious dog. He was in a  
timber lot south of his home, looking  
after traps set for rabbits, when he was  
pounced upon by a dog which grabbed  
him by the cheek, and held on till the  
little fellow pounded him away. The  
wounds have been cauterized and no se-  
rious results are anticipated.

Whitewater people found their yards  
flooded with clear artesian water Saturday  
morning. When the big water main was  
laid one of the sections happened to be  
balanced in the center over a boulder,  
and after trying for a year or two to hold  
up the steadily increasing weight which  
came upon it the section finally broke  
squarely off in the middle.

Warden Weeks wants convicts cloth-  
ed in stripes. None of the four prisoners  
that escaped during the past year, would  
have gotten away if they had worn a  
conspicuous garb instead of the modest  
gray.

Hundreds of people looking for work  
in tobacco have crowded into Edgerton  
the past week, until the supply is a long  
way ahead of the demand.

Commissioner Thom says the opposi-  
tion to the dairy and food commission  
is inspired by manufacturers and dealers  
in dishonest food products.

It costs Wisconsin \$70,000 in salaries  
and mileage to get her legislators togeth-  
er at each session.

Over 400 car loads of potatoes have  
been shipped from Waupesa so far this  
season.

A four-year-old child in Madison  
swallowed a four inch lead pin.

Wisconsin has ten shaw county su-  
perintendents of schools.

It cost to run the village of Evanville  
the last year \$4,262.18.

La Crosse county's old jail will be a  
city police station.

## OFFER A MUSICAL TREAT.

Programme of the New York Symphony  
Club for Tonight.

Warren G. Richards, Miss Marietta  
Siegfried, H. A. Higgins, C. F. Higgins  
and H. Cornelius appear with the New  
York Symphony club at the Congrega-  
tional church tonight. The programme  
has been arranged in the following order:

PART I.  
Flashes of Character.....  
No. 10 Perle.....  
Fantasia for Cornet.....  
Grand Allegro.....  
Clarinete Solo.....  
Quartette.....

PART II.  
Humorous Selections.....  
Cornet Solo.....  
Violin Solo.....  
Trio for voice, cornet and clarinet.....  
Final.....

The entertainment is for the benefit of  
the Presbyterian church.

## PROMISES ABOUT CITY WATER.

Treasurer Rawson Speaks as to Water  
Company's Plans for 1891.